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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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ROTOR OF ELECTRIC ROTATING MACHINE

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2004—the period for response having been extended to April 13, 2005 by an appropriate petition and check filed herewith—please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.